



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 01-597)

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In the Application of:

Garthwaite, et al.

Serial No.: 09/854,264

Filed: May 11, 2001

For: Aldosterone Antagonist Composition for Release During
Aldosterone Acrophase

Before the Examiner
Todd Ware

Art Unit: 1615

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In regard to the above identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a. Response to Office Action Mailed September 10, 2002
 - b. Assignment
 - c. Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time
 - d. Check in the amount of \$ 930.00
 - e. Return Receipt Postcard

2. With respect to additional fees:

X A. Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 930.00.

B. Charge the total additional fee of \$ to our Deposit Account No. 13-2490.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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